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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2124  
Examiner: Mr. Jason D. Mitchell

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicant : Cary Lee BATES et al )  
Serial No. : 09/918,573 )  
Filed : August 1, 2001 )  
For : DEBUGGER IMPACT REDUCTION )  
THROUGH MOTION OF INDUCTION )  
VARIABLE BASED BREAKPOINTS )  
Attorney Ref. : ROC920010153US1 (IBM 211/AW) )

AMENDMENT

December 2, 2004

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action of September 2, 2004, the period for reply to which has been set to expire on December 2, 2004.

A fee of \$ None is believed to be needed, and should be charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account number 09-0465. Should this fee calculation be erroneous, however, any greater or lesser fee that may be needed can be charged to the same Deposit Account.

Please amend the above-identified application as specified on the following pages, and then reconsider the application in view of the Remarks that are presented thereafter.

AMENDMENT

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**FEE ENCLOSED: \$**  
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